

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re application of:
Antonio Asaro et al.

Application No.: 10/074,064

Filed: February 12, 2002

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
A DATA BRIDGE IN A
COMPUTER SYSTEM**

Examiner: Paul R. Myers

Group Art Unit: 2111

Docket No.: 00100.00.0130

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANT
APPEAL BRIEF 37 C.F.R. § 41.37**

Dear Sir:

Appellant submits corrected Section III Status of Claims in accordance with the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief 37 C.F.R. § 41.37 mailed December 16, 2008 in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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III. STATUS OF CLAIMS

Claims 1-28, 30, 31 and 33-36 are pending. Claims 30, 31 and 36 have been allowed. Claims 1-28 and 33-35 stand rejected. The originally filed Application contained claims 1-31. Claims 32-36 were added during prosecution. Claims 29 and 32 were canceled during prosecution . Claims 1, 2, 10, 11, 28, 33, 34 and 35 were amended during prosecution of the present application. Claims 1-28 and 33-35 are being appealed. A copy of appealed claims 1-28 and 33-35 are attached in Appendix A.

Of the pending appealed claims, 1, 10, 19, and 28 are independent. For purposes of this appeal only, claims 2-9 stand or fall with claim 1; claim 34 does not stand or fall with claim 1 but is patentable on its own. Claims 11-18 and 33 stand or fall with claim 10. Claim 35 does not stand or fall with claim 10 but is patentable on its own. Claims 20-27 stand or fall together with claim 19.